

For Juniors only:

Mary Chan and Melissa Lee for Senior Caucus

Hi. We're Melissa Lee and Mary Chan, running for Senior Class President and, Mary Chan for Senior Class Vice President. Even though our goal to make senior year the best is similar to that of other candidates our way of making it the best is very different. Instead of making decisions on matters such as the senior prom and senior trip based solely on what we think is good for you, we want you to decide what you think is best for you. If we are elected, we will be putting what you want into effect. That is why we want your ideas, your suggestions, and your opinions. Our plan is to get to know all of you, personally so we can understand what you want, represent you, and work to put what you want into effect. We're dedicated and willing to work for you, so give us a chance. Just remember Melissa Lee and Mary Chan.

Chris Jackson and Eleanor Hyun for Senior Caucus

Hi! Our names are Chris Jackson and Eleanor Hyun and we're running for Senior Caucus. The senior year offers the most opportunity for original events, and in order to maximize all the possibilities, it is absolutely necessary to have student leaders that know what they are doing. Eleanor and I offer the experience and the creativeness that senior year will demand. We would push to reinstate Excursion Day and dances to the School. Because we recognize the high cost that senior year brings, we will try to make the trips as affordable as possible. Most important, we would be responsive to all your opinions and ideas. This current year has been plagued with all the problems inherent in moving to a new school. The student government has rightfully had a difficult time organizing all the events that were customs in the old building. Now that things are more settled, the students can begin to influence the workings of the school. Eleanor and I have the knowledge, experience and the ideas that will make your upcoming senior year a great one. So on April 21, vote Chris Jackson and Eleanor Hyun.

David Molot and James Park for Senior Caucus

Fellow Students, as you have noticed the school does not match up to the ideas that we had in store for it. Our present Student government is doing outstanding work in reforming the school, so that we may better suit our needs. Unfortunately, the end of the term is arriving quickly and this student government has yet to satisfy the student's needs. It is now time for a change and we must make this transition from one student government to another, as smoothly as possible. That's why you should vote for DAVID MOLOT and JAMES PARK for senior class president and vice president. They themselves are students and a part of this school, and experience all the problems that the students face and go through. However, we are not going to sit back and go through another restless year like this again. AND NEITHER SHOULD YOU!! That's why we are running for this position. We want to make this senior year, the greatest year. We want our last year, to be our best year. So, Vote for DAVID MOLOT and JAMES PARK for senior president and Vice President.

For Sophomores only:

Joanna Dragich and Janella Hong for Junior Caucus

No statement received.

Jamil Ellis and Leah Ramos for Junior Caucus

Hi I'm Jamil Ellis and I'm running for Junior class president, and I'm Leah Ramos and I'm running for Junior class vice president. Next year is going to be your hardest and we just want to make it more fun for everyone. We want more trips that don't cost \$350 and the best junior bash ever. Basically, we want to remain open to any of your suggestions and try to do something about them. Thanks.

Michael Lee and Monique Ramgoolie for Junior Caucus

Well Sophomores, this is it. Today is the day that we vote for our Student Union President and Vice President, but most importantly, we vote for our Junior Caucus representatives. Don't take this election for a popularity contest because it isn't. Junior year is very important to us all, more than anyone might think, and we all need the people that are our representatives to be responsible enough and to have enough experience to take on the duties that come with the job, as well as tackle the issues that may arise.

We, Mike and Monique, are those people and are running for Junior Caucus. As you representatives, we will work for you to make sure that certain existing programs that have been proven beneficial, such as out to lunch, and SING, continue to exist, and others such as homeroom don't phase-out.

However, your Junior Caucus representatives should know how to have fun also. We will work for you, with your ideas and suggestions, to make sure that our Junior Bash, as well as our Junior Trip don't end up like a day at the dentist's office. Junior year isn't a joke, neither are the responsibilities of the junior caucus representatives. When voting, Keep in mind who will work the hardest for a smooth running and fun Junior Year. The answer is simple: Mike and Monique.

Josh Oberman and Hai Gi Li for Junior Caucus

As candidates for Junior Caucus, we recognize the fact that some things have gone down hill since the "BIG MOVE". Things are disorganized and events are planned with hardly any notice. If we're elected, we will try our best to change the situation. We also feel that the student body as a whole should be more involved in planning school activities than it is currently. It's also felt that the interests of the students would be better served if committees were formed to plan certain events such as the junior bash and ski trip, etc. We won't make any empty promises, but we will certainly try our best to make your junior year in '93-'94 better.

Student Union President

Joan Ai for Student Union President

Hi! My name is Joan Ai and I am running for Student Union President. I have been involved with the S.U. since Freshman year and over the last 3 years I have become well acquainted with every aspect of the S.U. As the current S.U.V.P. I have secured the Out-To-Lunch program, helped prevent the cancellation of SING and worked with local stores to extend discounts to Stuyvesant students. If I am elected, I will: work towards the reinstatement of Stuy dances, create a student Bill of Rights, fight for the reinstitutions of Home room on a daily basis and make sure that the S.U. represents the students before anyone else. Remember, only with YOUR help can we make Stuyvesant a school for students. So vote Joan Ai for S.U.P.

Melani Kapetanakos for Student Union President

Student government has always been a big part of my life, and it's something to which I am extremely dedicated. I was President of my class freshmen year and I am currently Junior class President. As junior president, I have organized a ski trip, Junior Bash, which all of you are welcome to attend, and a junior trip to King's Dominion Amusement Park and White Water Rafting. I have also attended Student-Teacher-Parent meetings and have worked with the current Student Union President. I am hard working, organized, and not afraid to get things done. So, on Wednesday, remember to vote for me, Melani Kapetanakos for Student Union President.

Yuri So for Student Union President

My name is Yuri So and I am running for Student Union President. I was Sophomore President, I am the President of Stuy's Martial Arts club and I am getting discounts at McDonalds, Baskin Robins, and Blimpies. In the old Stuy I worked to get the bathroom floors and the out to lunch program in the new Stuy. This school needs more school unity and school spirit. I am not a politician. I am a leader. I want the opportunity to make a difference. I have been in these elections since my Freshman Year and I never wanted to get involved again. But then I remembered the teacher that made the most difference in my life. Mrs. Lax volunteered her time and patients to teach me English when I came to this country. The greatest lesson that I learned from Mrs. Lax was the value of helping someone without anything to gain except the satisfaction of knowing that you made a difference. If you want an honest, hard working, and dedicated person to serve you, then please vote Yuri So for S.U.P.

Student Union Vice President

Nancy Chung for Student Union Vice President

Hi. My name is Nancy Chung and I'm running for the position of Student Union Vice President. I have been a homeroom Senator for two years and have been in various school activities, such as the Thanksgiving Luncheons and the School Newspaper. I am environmentally conscious and care about you, the students and your rights. I am open minded and willing to hear your ideas. Make the student government work for you by voting for me, Nancy Chung for SUPV.

James Jung for Student Union Vice President

Hi, my name is James Jung, J.J. for short, and I am running for Student Union Vice President. I would like to thank you for your votes during the primary election and I hope that you will continue to support me.

If elected, I will work as hard as I can for you. The executive council and I will work together to fight for and ensure your rights. However, you have to do your part. Use your voice. Request your needs and wants and I will do my best to make sure that you see results. This is all I can promise, and hopefully, all that is really needed. This is your school, make the most of it. Vote JJ for SUPV.

Serge Thony Jr. for Student Union Vice President

No statement received

Sophomores and Juniors please see reverse

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I. Making Use of a New World (pp. 6-8)

A. Earliest arrivals - the American Indians during (20 to 30 or 40,000 years ago) across the Bering Straits.

1. South (most numerous & skillful in exploiting territory)
 - a. invented corn
 - b. built cities
 - c. had math & astronomy to conduct of calendar w/ no leap year ^{predict eclipses}
 - d. strong governments w/ advanced division of labor.

2. North (less advanced)

- a. were still hunters & gatherers - planting (some)
- b. Southeast - organized gov't
- c. But most loosely joined tribes.
- d. very self-reliant and self-controlled $\Rightarrow$ too individualistic

So when strangers came - did not have the set up to defend themselves

B. Exploration (pp. 8-14) Back in Europe:

1. earlier visitor - Leif Ericson (Norseman) spent a winter in Newfoundland. but did not stay for long - 11th century.
2. 1400's - The rise of kings and commerce.
 - a. merchant class - Foreign trade - East Asia, Far East - spices, dyestuffs, textiles etc.

Appendix: Synopsis of THE GRAIL LEGEND

According to Chrétien de Troyes

The Holy Grail, the chalice of the Last Supper, is kept within a castle. The king of the castle has been severely wounded and suffers continuously because his wound will not heal. The entire country and its people are in desolation.

The king had been wounded early in his adolescence. While wandering in a forest, he had reached a camp that was empty except for a spit on which a salmon was roasting. He was hungry, so he took a bit of the salmon. He burned his fingers horribly. To assuage the pain, he put his fingers into his mouth and tasted a bit of the salmon. He is called the Fisher King because he was wounded by a fish. He was also wounded in the thighs, so he is no longer productive, and his whole land is no longer productive. The Fisher King lies on a litter and must be carried everywhere, but he is sometimes able to fish, and only then is he happy.

The Fisher King presides over the castle where the Grail is kept, but he cannot touch the Grail or be healed by it. The court fool has prophesied that the Fisher King would be healed when a wholly innocent fool arrives in the court.

Appendix

In an isolated country a boy lives with his widowed mother, whose name is Heart Sorrow. At first the boy does not seem to have a name; much later he learns that his name is Parsifal. His father had been killed while rescuing a fair maiden, and his two brothers had also been killed as knights. His mother had taken him to this faraway country and raised him in primitive circumstances. He wears homespun clothes, has no schooling, asks no questions. He is a simple, naive youth.

Early in his adolescence, he sees five knights riding by on horseback. He is dazzled by the knights, their scarlet-and-gold trappings, their armor, and all their accoutrements. He dashes home to tell his mother that he has seen five gods and wants to leave home to go with them.

His mother weeps. She had hoped that he would not suffer the fate of his father and his brothers. But she gives him her blessing and three instructions: He must respect all fair maidens; he is to go daily to church where he will receive all the food he needs; and he is not to ask any questions.

Parsifal goes off to find the knights. He never finds the same five knights, but he has all kinds of adventures. One day he comes to a tent. He had only known a simple hut, so he thinks this is the church his mother had told him about. He sees a fair damsel wearing a ring on her hand, so he obeys his mother's instruction by embracing the damsel, taking her ring, and putting it on his own hand. He sees a table set for a banquet and, thinking it is the food his mother had told him he would find in church, he eats it, not realizing it is prepared for the damsel's beloved knight. The damsel begs Parsifal to leave, because if her knight finds him there he will kill him.

Parsifal goes on his way and soon finds a devastated convent and monastery. He cannot restore them, but he vows to return and raise the spell when he is stronger.

Then he meets a Red Knight who has come from King Arthur's Court. Parsifal is dazzled by the knight and tells him that he too wants to be a knight. The Red Knight tells him to go to Arthur's court, which he does. In this court is a damsel who has

not smiled or laughed for six years. A legend says that when the best knight in the world comes along, she will smile and laugh again. When she sees Parsifal, she bursts into laughter. The court is impressed. Arthur knights Parsifal, gives him a page, and tells him that he may have the horse and armor of the Red Knight if he can get it.

Parsifal finds the Red Knight, kills him, and takes his armor and puts it on over his homespun clothing. He finds his way to the castle of Gournamond, who trains him to be a knight. Gournamond gives him two instructions: He must never seduce or be seduced by a woman, and when he reaches the Grail castle he must ask, "Whom does the Grail serve?"

Parsifal goes off and tries to find his mother and help her, but he finds that she died of a broken heart. Then he meets Blanche Fleur. From this time on, everything he does is in her service. She asks him to conquer the army besieging her castle, which he does, and then he spends the night with her.

After traveling all of the next day, he meets two men in a boat. One of them, who is fishing, invites Parsifal to stay at his house for the night. When Parsifal reaches this house, he finds himself in a great castle, where he is royally welcomed. He learns that the fisherman is the Fisher King. He sees a ceremony in which a youth carries a sword that drips blood constantly and in which a maiden carries the Grail. At a banquet the Grail is passed about and everyone drinks from it. The Fisher King's niece brings a sword, and the King straps it to Parsifal's waist. But Parsifal fails to ask the question Gournamond had told him to ask. The next morning Parsifal finds that all the people of the castle have vanished. Then the castle itself disappears.

He goes on and finds a sorrowful maiden. He learns that her knight had been killed by the jealous knight of the maiden of the tent, so the death was really his fault. When she learns that he has been in the Grail castle, she berates him for all his sins and tells him that the land and its people will continue to be desolate because he failed to ask the right question.

Later he again finds the maiden of the tent. She reiterates all his misdeeds and tells him that the sword he had been given will

break the first time it is used in battle, that it can only be mended by the smith who made it, and that after that it will never break again.

In the course of his journeys, Parsifal has subdued many knights and sent them back to King Arthur's Court. When he had been there before, they had not realized who he was. Arthur sets forth to search for Parsifal so the court can honor him. Parsifal happens to be camping nearby. A falcon attacks three geese and wounds one of them. Its blood on the snow reminds Parsifal of Blanche Fleur, and he falls into a trance. Two of Arthur's men see him and try to persuade him to return to the court, but he unhorses them. A third knight, Gawain, gently persuades him to go to the court with him. Parsifal is received in triumph at the court.

But the rejoicing ends when a hideous damsel on a decrepit mule enters and recites all of Parsifal's sins. Then she points a finger at him and says, "It is all your fault." She assigns tasks to all the knights. She tells Parsifal to search for the Grail castle again and this time ask the right question.

Parsifal goes on through many episodes. Some versions say that he travels for five years; others say twenty years. He grows bitter and disillusioned. He does many heroic deeds, but he forgets the church, Blanche Fleur, and the Grail castle.

Then one day he meets some pilgrims who ask him why he is armed on Good Friday. He suddenly remembers what he had forgotten. Remorsefully he goes with the pilgrims to a hermit for confession. The hermit absolves him and tells him to go immediately to the Grail castle.

The poem by Chrétien de Troyes stops here. Many authors tried to finish it. One version says that Parsifal goes to the Grail castle and this time he asks the right question: "Whom does the Grail serve?" The answer is given: "The Grail serves the Grail King." He is not the Fisher King, but the Grail King, who has lived in the central room of the castle from time immemorial. The Fisher King is healed immediately, and the land and all its people can live in peace and joy.

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